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known as the Creel Yates farm. For the purchase price the purchase er with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of Sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

L. B. HURT, Master Commissioner.

Our vicinity has been blest with a good rain though has not started the springs yet.

Preparing ground for sowing wheat is the order of the day. A good acreage will be sown.

Whoopingcough is very prevalent in

James McKinney, of Pulaski, was down last week. We suspect a certain young widow entices him this way. Sale of Babe Hammond last Satur-

day drew a large crowd-not much sold. Babe was wise enough to keep most of his valuables to come back to. Warner Rexroat is very ill at this

J. M. Smith was here last week ta-

king photograps We regret the untimely death of Dr Holder, of Jamestown, as he formerly

lived in this neighborhood. Rev. C. L Bradley has again embarked up on the sea of matrimony, which is the third time. This time he has led to the altar Miss Frances Jasper, of Irvin's Store. The ceremony was performed at high noon Wednesday, by Rev. Thomas Grimes Mr. Bradley is near sixty and his bride is about forty five We wish them

BRAIN LEAKS.

The dollar mark is unknown in

Prayer is the key that unlocks the door of hope.

The eyes of faith have no need for heological spectacles.

The palace on the hill is no neare neaven than the hut in the valley.

Faith walks in the light while Doubt stumtles and falls in the dark.

The shores of Tomorrow are strewn with the wrecks of indolent endeavor Comparatively few souls have been

saved by sermonettes smothered in concerts.

neighbor will know it without you telling him. There is always hope for the man

who realizes the limitations of his own A great many people expect to col-

by giving to the poor. Some people have a habit of leaning

so heavily on God that their feet don't ouch the ground. The man who is too good to take

part in politics is never too good to profit by a polltical reform. There is something wrong about the

religion that leads a mother or father to neglect home and children. The best place to get a census of the

working members of a church is at the mid-week prayer meeting.

Men who are always ready to give an excuse for doing wrong seldom see any excuse for doing right.

Some men are so conscientious that they wont give with their right hand for fear the left hand will find it out.

Satan uses tempting bait for every victim save the profane swearer. The

profane swearer takes the bare hook. Giving back to the victim half of the swag wrested from him does not make a philanthropist out of the highway robber.

Captains of industry have a habit of standing behind the firing line and waiting until the time comes for looting the baggage trains.

-Will M. Maupin.

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Three two-year old mules. They are ood ones. Also 1 heifer 18 months

DANDIES WEAR CORSETS

The Tailor and Cutter of London

has made a discovery. "It is reported," it says, "that the French dandles are applying to corsetonto the latest idea in London fashion and are having their garments made to fit very closely at the waist and to be well padded on the hips.

"They have their trousers made very long, so that they may wear them turded up. Their collars are worn so high at the back that they make their wearers stoop and, and crown all with a bell-shaped hat.

"There are many Londoners who a leading corset maker in Charming Cross road is making a speciality of gentleman's corsets. So that, even in their follies, London and Paris are not

A LITERARY STORY.

It is doubtful if Mark Twain has any difficulty nowadays in disposing of his stories, says the New York Times, but it is evident from a recent remark that he has not grown out of sympathy with his struggling and less famous fellows in the literary field. The lady who tells the incident was talking with him on the disillusionments of anthorship.

"And I even understand," she said, 'that some of your anthors compose on the typewriter."

"Such is the inartistic truth," Mark

"How unromantic to associate genius and the typewriter!" the lady exclaimed. "But on the other hand, I suppose that 'writer' cramp is thus avoided, she added practically.

"Partially, madam," replied Mark; only partially."

"Why not altogether?" she demanded, puzzled at his smile.

"It may be avoided in the wrist and fingers," Mark explained, feelingly, but we are all subject to it in the

HENRY CLAY.

A well-known traveler of Chicago, tells an interesting story in the Courer-Journal about Henry Clay, the great Kentucky statesman, then a well known lawyer.

"A man was once being tried for murder, and his case looked hopeless indeed. He had, without any seeming provocation, murdered a neighbor in cold blood. Not a lawyer in the county would take the case. It looked bad enough to ruin the reputation of any

"The man as a last extremity, appealed to Clay to take the case for him. Every one thought that Clay would certainly refuse. But when the celebrated lawyer looked into the mat-

was never seen. Clay slowly carried on the case, and it looked more and more hopeless. The only ground of lect usury when they lend to the Lord | defense the prisoner had was that the murdered man had looked at him with such a fierce, murderons look that out of self defense he had struck first. A ripple passed through the jury at this

The time came for Clay to make his defense. It was settled in the minds of the spectators that the man was guilty of murder in the first degree. Clay proceeded, laid all the proofs before them in a masterly way. then, just as

his last master card, "Gentlemen of the jury," he said, assuming the fiercest, blackest look and carrying the most undying hatred in it that I had ever seen, "gentlemen if a man should look at you like this,

what would you do?" This was all he said, but that was enough. The jury was startled and ome even quailed in their seats. The judge moved uneasily on his bench. After fifteen minutes the jury filed slowly back with a "Not guilty, your honor." The victory was complete.

When Clay was congratulated on his easy victory he said:

"It was not so easy as you think I spent days and days in my room before the mirror practicing that look. It took more hard work to give that lcok than to investigate the most ob-

the contract for the construction | nag upon it. The site is near Shawof the new battleship, Louisiana,

THE PARENT OF WHEAT. The most remarkable fact concern

ing the queer plant, the goatseye, is that it has been proved by experiment to be the parent of cultivated wheat, makers to provide them with belts to This fact was accidentally discovered improve the shape of the waist and by a French agriculturalist. He wishhips. They have apparently caught ed to determine what effect cultivation would have upon the goatseye and planted remote from any fields of grass that might mingle with it a few of the seeds. The first crop showed much difference from the original, being two or three times taller and more grains to the stalk. At the end of seven years' experimenting the yield was over 300 grains for each one planted, and the transformation was complete; every plant was a true represendon the same styles. We notice that tative of cultivated wheat. Later he sowed them in open fields, and in no instance have they returned to the form of the original goatseye grass.

The same experiments have since been tried by the English Agricultural society with the same results,

The nearest form to true wheat now found wild is the creeping couch grass, a perennial closely agreeing in all essential particulars of structure with our less cultivated annual wheat.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The following is the program of the Teachers' Association to be held at Knifley, Saturday Oct., 25:

Devotional Exercises, Eld. Leslie

Welcome Address, S. L. Coffey. Response, Dr. J. C. Gose,

Relation of the Public School to the State Government, W. D. Jones. The need of a Superintendent and the importance of the office as a part of the common school system of Ken-

tucky, S. L. Coffey. The best way to arouse an Educational interest in the community, W.

Essay, Miss Estelle Willis. The True Teacher Spirit, J. C. Judd. Recitation. Miss Mary S. Monday. What can be done in Adair county o increase the attendance in the com-

mon schools? L. Y. Gabbert. 2 How overcome defects in improper nome training? Mrs, S. S. Williams. The sanitary conditions of the school house and surroundings, Dr. J. C. Gose. How dispose of the troublesome pu-

pil and parent? Robt, Morris. Noon.

Should every lesson be a language esson? Mrs. Docia Russell.

Duties of trustees, V. G. Hovious. Recitation, Miss Lena Powell. How teach spelling? Plato Wade.

Should there be a change in the trustee system? Charlie Coffey.

The best method of teaching compo sition, Miss Pinkie Jeffries. Importance of moral training, Eld.

JAMES C. JUDD, SEC. SHORT STOPS.

In 1900 France exported 1,000 horses more than she imported, whereas Germany had to import 90,000 more than she exported. Georgia fruit growers are claiming that the peach crop of their state

yields more money to the producers than does the cotton crop. British commissioners in South Af rica say trade there is in the hands of trusts and combinations, which threat-

en the country's development. More than half the quality of cheese imported into Britain comes from Canhe was about to conclude, he played ada. Improved cheese rooms are now

being fitted on big liners. The shortest people in Europe are the Laplanders. The beight of the men averages 4 feet 11 inches and the

neight of the women two inchess less. A report on agriculture for North Carolina shows the valuation of farm property to be \$233,834,693, of which about \$30,000,000 represents live stock and \$9,000,000 machinery and implements. The value of all farm products shows a rapid growth.

The Cocos, or Keeling islands, which belong to the British empire, are the private property of G. Ciunis Ross, who lives on them and governs their primitive population as an autocrat, They are a ring of coral atoils lying 600 miles off Java Head.

The Government surveyors have es

tablished the geographical center of

Kentucky and planted an American

nee Run church in Mercer county, on

the farm of John Spillman.

Dr. S. P. Miller, of Glennville, called

The singing at this place was we'l attended by a large crowd last Sunday. Miss Ida Judd and brother, Tobe, of

near Columbia, visited here Sunday. Messrs. Lucien Moore and B. W. Pierce, of Vester, attended the singing

Mrs. Dowell, who has been dangerously sick is some better.

at this place.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night Mrs. S. K. Humphress and Miss Pearl Kniffey were in Columbia Friday B. W. Sherrill, who is attending col-

lege at Lexington, is very sick and will return home. We are very sorry Buford is compelled to leave school as he is a bright and energetic young man and is striving to make his mark in the world. We hope he will soon regain his health and be able to take up his studies again.

refreshing rains which were badly needed.

W. I. Ingram, wife and daughter, Dr. J. C. Gove, Sam K. Humphress, and Ben Hovious, spent a few days in Louisville at the State Fair.

Some unknown persons went to the corn crib of Mr. James Humphress a few nights ago, shelled two turns of corn and borrowed two horses to carry it way, then returned the horses to their stalls. Clever people.

W. P. Chelf, while decaping a 45 cartridge it exploded, tearning his TO ALL POINTS IN CALIFORNIA thumb and two fingers severely.

The singing conducted by Stapp and Wolford passed off quietly. There was a large crowd and plenty of grub, the best the country could afford. Every body had a good time.

Aunt Bettie Knifley spent the evening with your scribe last Saturday. She will be 75 years old the 8th of December. She is very peart for her age and bids fair to live several years. She

is the widow of Rev. Joseph Knifley. The school election passed off quietly in this district. Sam J. Tarter was elected trustess.

W. J. Tucker and wife and Mrs. Sal-

lie Aker attended the Conference on

Saturday and Sunday. R. A. Corbin and family and Mr. Ed Bryant, spent a few days at the Con-

H. E. Chandler has finished sawing the Clapp and Jackson timber and will move to the other site, near Charles W. R. Watson has stipped his tobac

co at \$3, and \$5 25 per hoghead. Rufe is always in the lead. Mrs. Sarah E. Young, Bettie and Lyda E. Perkins visited Mrs. J. R. Beard

last week.

CAPTAIN JACK'S SUCCESS The latest advices from Manila indicate that the rebelling Moros have had some sense shot into them by the troops under Captain Pershing. The decisive success of the expedition against those sultans who undertook to make war upon the Americans will doubtless have the most salutary ef-

The fact that the several hundred thousand fighting Mohammedans of the great island of Mindanao are divided into a number of tribes or clans, each with the sultan or datto at its head, and that there is no bond of union between these separate clans except that of religion, is largely responsible for this government's escape from a very nasty complication. If these Mohammedans, all fighting men, were to combine against us as they did against the Spaniards, there would be little hope of American occupation of the island without great loss of life.

As it is, however, the more powerful of the rulers have refused to join those of their fellow religionists who insist upon fighting, Captain Pershing who was given command of the expedition into the lake country because of his knowledge of the Moro people seems to be very successful in holding the stronger dattos in their friendly attitude. Captain Pershing has been in command of Mindanao since the first American expedition set foot upon the island. He is an officer of brains and capacity, and has made a study of the Moro people. Undoubtedly a very great deal of the credit for the present success, not only in retaining the friendship of the dattos, but was returned jointly, charging 16 expansive smile illuminated his feat-

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the hands injures them. When you pack your trunk, put all the heavy things at the bottom Salt of amonia mixed with lim

will remove wine stains from silk. The skin of green cucumbers, if

will kill them. ed in two pailfuls of water will deodor- in heaven. Father, mother, brothize an offensive cesspool.

Yellow carrots scraped and wilted on a pan or fire shovel make an excellent poultice for old sores. Scrubbing porcelain or enamel bath

tubs with any soap containing sand thins and cracks the enamel. Boil castor oil with an equal quangar to remove its disagreeable taste.

Rub cheese with a woolen cloth dip

Hang an old elderdown quilt in the the elasticity and life it had when new his life, and don't amount to anything with a mixture of unslacked lime dissolved in boiling water. Use two ta-

Isinglass boiled in spirits of wine

will produce a transparent cement

blespoonfuls to a quart of water.

which will unite broken glass so as to render the fracture almost impercept-To keep out moths use alum. Wash over the crevices of store boxes with know," she replied, "but I think I alum water and sprinkle powdered al-

The St. Louis June grand jury, which has been in continuous session investigating the boodle cases, has adjourned. One indictment members of the municipal assembly with bribery.

DIED. Cora Ellen, the youngest daughter of G. G. and Laura Morrison, died October 1, 1902, a victim of pneumonia. She was two years, nine months and eighteen days old. Cora Ellen was a sweet little girl, a favorite of her parents and with all who knew her. Her physician and loved ones did all they could to relieve her sufferings placed about where roaches frequent, -but God, in his infinite wisdom, called her from time to eternity, A pound of sulphate of zinc dissolv- and to-day she is a bright angel er and sister, weep not, for Jesus said "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

THE TRUE ACCOUNT.

An editor recently announced that for just one issue he would tell the tity of milk, sweeten with a little su- truth, naked and unvarnished. Here is one item from that issue of his Ink and iron mould may be taken paper: "Married, Sylvia Smith to out of goods by wetting the spots with | James Carahan, last Saturday, at the milk and covering them with common Baptist parsonage. The bride is a very ordinary girl about town, who doesn't know any more about cooking ped in sweet oil to destroy the mites in than a rabbit, and never helped her it. One or two applications will suf- old mother three days in her life. She is not a beauty by a long shot, and has agait like a fat duck. The groom is known as an up-to-date loafer, and has been living off his poor mother all of nohow. They will have a tough time of it, and we withhold congratulations, for we don't believe any good can come

> One of our young men took a girl ouggy riding one day last week, and the conversation turned to fortune telling. He asked her whether she believed in palmistry. "Well, I don't young man who was slow to compreand grasped the situation.—New Hope Texas News.

could foretell more enjoyment if I saw um wherever it is suspected there are the lines in one of your hands." The hend her meaning, sat with bowed head and wrinkled brow until at least two miles had been traversed. Then a great light broke upon him and an

from such a marriage."